Mountain Weather Forecast

South Grampian and Southeast Highlands

Including South and East Cairngorms National Park, Aberdeenshire and Angus Hills, Ben Vrackie, Ben Lawers, Loch Tay and Ochils
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Saturday 26 Nov 2022 until 23:59 on Sunday 27 Nov 2022

Forecast Issued on Saturday 26 Nov 2022 at 03:00 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: Low for extent of rain on Saturday. High for colder and eventually drier weather to become established early next week.

Headline for Saturday 26 Nov 2022: Very windy with rain at times

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 26 Nov 2022

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
Medium Likelihood

Gales
High Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Drizzle	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain
Precipitation probability					
20%	40%	70%	90%	90%	90%

Forecast for Saturday 26 Nov 2022

Weather: Outbreaks of rain will spread northeast from late morning, with further rain at times through the afternoon. Rain is likely to turn more widespread and somewhat heavier in the evening. Some drier interludes possible across Upper Deeside and perhaps the Ochils at times.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 50%, best chance in the morning

Low Cloud and visibility: Patchy cloud around 800 metres at first. However widespread low cloud down to 600 to 900 metres developing by afternoon with summits becoming shrouded in cloud.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	51/57 SW	47/54 S	45/55 S	48/59 S	53/66 S	52/64 S	44/55 S
900	32/39 SW	31/38 S	31/41 S	33/44 S	36/48 S	34/47 S	31/42 S
600	21/36 SW	21/35 S	19/34 S	21/37 S	23/42 S	22/40 S	21/37 S
300	5/17 S	11/27 S	10/24 S	14/30 S	10/24 SE	12/27 SE	14/31 S
Glen	8/21 SW	11/27 S	12/28 S	14/32 S	15/32 S	10/25 S	12/28 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	2/-7	3/-5	3/-6	3/-6	3/-6	3/-5	4/-4
900	4/-3	5/-2	4/-2	4/-2	4/-2	5/-2	5/-1
600	5/0	6/2	6/2	6/1	6/1	6/1	7/3
300	7/6	8/6	8/6	8/5	8/6	8/5	9/6
Glen	8/6	9/6	9/6	9/6	9/6	9/7	10/7
Freezing Level*	1500m	1600m	1800m	2200m	2400m	2300m	1900m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View

Note summit gales or severe gales, making progress will be difficult with a risk of being blown over in gusty winds. Wind speeds will reach 70 mph on the higher tops.

Forecast for Sunday 27 Nov 2022

Weather: Most ranges will be dry with some sunshine, perhaps a wintry shower across the southern Cairngorms in the afternoon Very windy on the tops.

Maximum wind: Average speeds of 40 mph with gusts to 60 mph on the summits,

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 80%

Low Cloud and visibility: Cloud down to 800 metres in any showers, otherwise only small amounts of cloud expected on the tops

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 2 rising to 8 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 3 Celsius
Freezing level: 1100 rising to 1400 metres

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